



## **BEARFACTS 1997 – 2007**

### **Perry , Missouri [29157]**

Perry is one of 115 counties in Missouri. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2007 population of 18,741 ranked 56th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2007 Perry had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$25,978. This PCPI ranked 57th in the state and was 76 percent of the state average, \$33,964, and 67 percent of the national average, \$38,615. The 2007 PCPI reflected an increase of 2.2 percent from 2006. The 2006-2007 state change was 4.5 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. In 1997 the PCPI of Perry was \$18,809 and ranked 58th in the state. The 1997-2007 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.7 percent and for the nation was 4.3 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2007 Perry had a total personal income (TPI) of \$486,853\*. This TPI ranked 58th in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1997 the TPI of Perry was \$338,878\* and ranked 57th in the state. The 2007 TPI reflected an increase of 3.7 percent from 2006. The 2006-2007 state change was 5.3 percent and the national change was 6.0 percent. The 1997-2007 average annual growth rate of TPI was 3.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Perry. In 2007 net earnings accounted for 64.8 percent of TPI (compared with 62.3 in 1997); dividends, interest, and rent were 13.3 percent (compared with 19.9 in 1997); and personal current transfer receipts were 21.9 percent (compared with 17.8 in 1997). From 2006 to 2007 net earnings increased 3.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 4.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 5.1 percent. From 1997 to 2007 net earnings increased on average 4.1 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent decreased on average 0.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.9 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Perry increased from \$358,934\* in 2006 to \$367,027\* in 2007, an increase of 2.3 percent. The 2006-2007 state change was 4.4 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1997 estimate of \$236,089\* to the 2007 estimate was 4.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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